News From Southern Shores Town Hall Friday, March 17, 2006 Happy St. Patrick's Day

Large Item Pickup Tuesday, April 18, 2006

Dare County will be conducting the **Spring Large Item** pickup in Southern Shores on Tuesday, **April 18, 2006.** Please don't put items out earlier than 2-3 days ahead of 4/18.

Primary Election May 2, 2006

The <u>primary election</u> will be held May 2, 2006 for County Commissioner, Clerk of Court and Board of Election seats. At the Dare County Board of Elections web site you can see a complete list of <u>candidates</u> for the 2006 elections.

If you are not registered to vote and you wish to vote in the primary, **you must register no later than Friday April 7, 2006**. You can pick up registration forms at Town Hall but they must be postmarked by April 7th and mailed or dropped off at the <u>Dare County Board of Elections</u>. There will be no-excuse early voting at the Dare County Board of Elections in Manteo and at the Baum Center, Kill Devil Hill, from April 13 through April 29 from (10 a.m. to 2 p.m.). For more information, call Dare County Board of Elections 475-5630.

Congratulations

Chief Bob Harvey, and Assistant Chief/Safety Dick Furioni, of the Southern Shores Volunteer Fire Department recently completed a six day Volunteer Incentive Program course at FEMA's, Emmitsburg, MD training facility. The Chief took a course on Fire Protection System for Incident Commanders and Dick took a course in Community Education Leadership.

Fire Danger Conditions

With very dry and windy conditions, we are under a SEVERE fire conditions until further notice. This makes all vegetation an excellent fuel source and easily ignited. Please use **extreme caution** when grilling outside; avoid all fireworks; and DO NOT throw cigarette butts on the ground. Check out our <u>Southern Shores Volunteer Fire Dept.</u> web page for Fire Safety Information and Tips. If you see fireworks that propel or someone burning yard debris please call Central Communications at 252-473-3444.

Chipping

** Correction: Due to March's Calendar, we were ahead a week of the chipper. So....the Chipper will be in Sector #3 the week of March 20, and your brush should be placed out by Monday morning. Sector #4 can start putting their brush out for chipping. Visit the <u>Town website</u> for more information on the Town Chipping Program. Chips are available, please contact <u>Karen</u> with your address and place a sign off the rights-of-way where to put the chips.

Dates To Remember:

• Planning Board, Monday, March 20, 2006, 7 p.m., Pitts Center

• Spring Cleanup, Saturday, April 22, 2006

If you need a police officer, anytime day or night, please call Central Communications at 252-473-3444. Write that number down or pick up a free sticker at Town Hall. Keep this number by your home phone and put it on your cell phone.

For more information, contact the Southern Shores Town Hall, 252-261-2394, 252-255-0876 (fax), info@southernshores-nc.gov, www.southernshores-nc.gov.

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